

**Amendments to the Abstract**

Abstract of the Disclosure

Blasting method for cleaning surfaces, wherein a carrier gas is supplied under pressure through a blasting line (10) to a blasting nozzle (14), and liquid CO<sub>2</sub> is supplied through a feed line (32), is transformed into dry snow through expansion and is fed into the blasting line (10), characterised in that CO<sub>2</sub> from the feed line (32) is introduced into the blasting line (10) through an expansion volume (34) having an enlarged cross section.

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